

## U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

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PRINCIPAL DEPUTY ASSISTANT SECRETARY FOR COMMUNITY PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT

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The Honorable Jeni Arndt Mayor of Fort Collins PO Box 580 Fort Collins, CO 80522

Dear Mayor Arndt:

Congratulations! I am pleased to inform you of your jurisdiction's Fiscal Year (FY) 2023 allocations for the Office of Community Planning and Development's (CPD) formula programs. Your jurisdiction's FY 2023 available amounts are as follows:

CPD Programs:	Amount
Community Development Block Grant (CDBG)	\$1,107,281
Emergency Solutions Grant (ESG)	\$0
HOME Investment Partnerships (HOME)	\$669,292
Housing Opportunities for Persons With AIDS (HOPWA)	\$0
CDBG Recovery Housing Program (RHP)	\$0

These grant funds provide the financial tools to support individuals, families, and communities to address homelessness, affordable housing challenges, aging infrastructure, and economic hardships. CPD is committed to being your partner throughout the process of using these funds. Our local office will assist in finalizing grant agreements, offer technical assistance and training when needed, and monitor and implement grant funds for eligible projects in a timely manner. We will work with you to ensure proper reporting in the Integrated Disbursement and Information System (IDIS) so we can together improve performance data on how these programs are benefitting and touching people's lives, build trust with stakeholder groups and Congress, and amplify the success stories that you and your jurisdiction are able to accomplish with these vital resources.

Based on your jurisdiction's CDBG allocation for this year and outstanding Section 108 balances as of February 27, 2023, you also have \$5,536,405 in available Section 108 borrowing authority. Since Section 108 loans are federally guaranteed, this program can leverage your jurisdiction's existing CDBG funding to access low-interest, long-term financing to invest in your jurisdiction.

Thank you for your continued interest in CPD programs, I greatly appreciate your leadership in using these funds to address your most urgent housing and community development needs, including preventing and reducing homelessness. If you or any member of your staff have questions, please contact your local CPD Field Director.

Sincerely,

Marion Mollegen McFadden

Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary

for Community Planning and Development